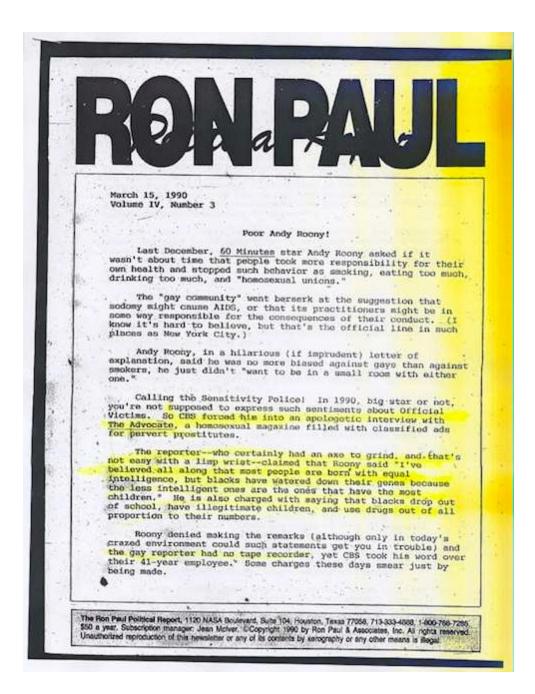
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An Indigenist Examination of the Ron Paul Scandal and its Political Impact on the African Community in America

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Why Do Ron Paul Supporters Rudely Demand That Africans Ignore the Obvious?

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'Mark my word, if and when these preachers get control of the [Republican] party, and they're sure trying to do so, it's going to be a terrible damn problem. Frankly, these people frighten me. Politics and governing demand compromise. But these Christians believe they are acting in the name of God, so they can't and won't compromise. I know, I've tried to deal with them'.

- Barry Goldwater

What I find most interesting about the negative comments circulating the Internet concerning my editorial, 'Season of the Fascist', I is that not one critical posting has yet attempted to explain why ethnic minorities in the US would, or should, feel safe when a person with credible links to far-right political organisations decides to run for president of the United States. It is simply assumed that since most Ron Paul supporters, (and I do mean most) are White people who see no serious problems with far-right extremists, neoliberal corporatists and neo-Nazis being involved in the political mix, that Africans and other people-of-colour should not be concerned about it either.

I take issue with the 'White makes Right' assumptions that underlie such arguments and I am not alone in this. ² Nearly every American African I have personally spoken with in regards to this issue has expressed both shock and outrage at the salient fact that even though Ron Paul claims to not personally hold White supremacist proclivities, ³ he certainly seems comfortable publishing their material, taking their money as well as accepting their political endorsements. ⁴ And when the subject of his notorious newsletters and what was said in them are raised to a Black and Brown audience, the resentment expressed is quite real, runs deep and is entirely justified. ⁵ These are political actions that give any conscious African or Indigenous person in the Americas a legitimate reason to feel offended, threatened and even more alienated from the mainstream Europocentric society than we already are.

Some of us saw this coming.⁶ And when one considers how White America has reacted to the election of the first biracial president,⁷ none of this comes as a big surprise to anyone who was paying attention to FOX News.⁸ Their brand of race-baiting, far-right programming ⁹ has been connected ¹⁰ to the rapid rise of right-wing violence in the both US and in

¹ Fatima and Ahmed's Son: Election 2012: Season of the Fascist: Witnessing the Ron Paul Campaign Humanise the Face of White Supremacist Politics http://ow.ly/8q8Pt

² Tim Wise - The Pathology of White Privilege http://ow.ly/8oWoT

³ Ron Paul Addresses Racist Newsletters On CNN | News One http://ow.ly/8p9si

⁴ Ron Paul Officially Accepts White Nationalist Donation « The Urban Grind http://ow.ly/8paZ8

⁵ Ron Paul campaign keeps white supremacist money http://ow.ly/8pb3T

⁶ Obama's First 100 Days -- The Black Agenda Report Card | Black Agenda Report http://ow.ly/8pGyw

⁷ White Power USA: The Rise of Right-Wing Militias in America

⁸ Fox's Starnes On Dixville Notch Vote: "We Didn't See Any Black Panthers With Baseball Bats," Just "Good American Folks" | Media Matters for America http://ow.ly/8oWce

⁹ Fox Celebrates Holidays With Outrageous Race-Based Attack On Obama | Media Matters for America http://ow.ly/8oW5c

¹⁰ Tikkun Daily Blog » Blog Archive » Right-Wing Extremism: From Norway to the U.S. http://ow.ly/8pJWW

Europe. White Power organisations have been on the rise ever since Obama and his cabinet took office and the Koch Brothers funded and now toothless Tea Party were certainly guilty of propagating anti-African and anti-Muslim rhetoric during their time in the sun. Organised White racism had been on a real decline in the US after the late 1970's but it made a starling comeback after the Ronald Reagan administration decided to visit Bitburg, Germany to honour the SS men buried there.

This was considered by many to be the 'green light' behind the development of the right-wing militia movement ⁵ and other survivalist groups and publications that freely expressed a decided preference for far-right issues and causes. ⁶

As longtime anti-fascist activist Chip Berlet describes it:

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'We are in the midst of one of the most significant right-wing populist rebellions in United States history...We see around us a series of overlapping social and political movements populated by people [who are] angry, resentful, and full of anxiety. They are raging against the machinery of the federal bureaucracy and liberal government programs and policies including health care, reform of immigration and labor laws, abortion, and gay marriage'.

--Rage on the Right | Southern Poverty Law Center http://ow.ly/8pTpM

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It seems reasonable at this juncture to pose the question as to what Indigenous Peoples, American Africans and other people-of-colour as supposed to think and feel about their tenuous position in the US given such a negative societal conundrum. The typical frat-boy response to such queries is that we, as POC's that is, have little to be concerned about since these groups do not present a serious threat to the public welfare. What they really mean is that these groups do not present a clear and present threat to their own social order. As I explain to people who think that ethnic bias and racism against POC's is a thing of the past, it is east to say 'Trust Dr. Ron Paul' when you do not have to worry about the Klan visiting you in the middle of the night. And it is extremely offensive for anyone, regardless of their ethnicity, to suggest that African people in the US ignore the country's racist history, past and present, and the anti-American terrorism of the Klan. Especially to people, such as this writer, who have lost family members to Klan violence and hatred.

¹ Right-wing violence, threats are on the rise -- and getting a wink and a nudge | Crooks and Liars http://ow.ly/8pHSb

² NAACP passes resolution blasting Tea Party 'racism' - CNN http://ow.ly/8pRow

³ Tea-party racism: Racism in the tea-party movement | The Economist http://ow.ly/8pRwZ

⁴ Ronald Reagan Honored Nazis? | A Game of Roles http://ow.ly/8pOEI

⁵ The Militia Movement -- Extremism in America http://ow.ly/8pRT0

⁶ Militia movement will be packing heat at gun rally on the Potomac http://ow.ly/8pS1H

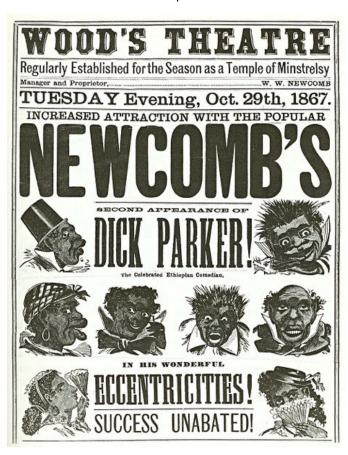
⁷ Racism row erupts as Tea Party calls Barack Obama a skunk | Mail Online http://ow.ly/8pU7d

⁸ Civil Rights Greensboro http://ow.ly/8q90C

⁹ Bill Maher: "Denying Racism Is The New Racism" | RealClearPolitics http://ow.ly/8pXGv

¹⁰ BART Police shooting of Oscar Grant - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia http://ow.ly/8pUVA

¹¹ Ku Klux Klan: a violent history - Telegraph http://ow.ly/8pUKX



Such sentiments are to be expected from the sectors of the population that do not have to live directly under the shadow of ethnic-based oppression and coercion. And frankly I always find it amazing as to which issues White people and their sycophants will choose to voice an opinion on and which issues these people will choose to ignore. Many US citizens support Indigenous Tibetan causes, but how many support Native American sovereignty government-to-government treaty obligations? Very few. Americans, as a general rule of thumb, are masters of living in wilful illusions. And we are raised to believe in an improbable narrative that purports to explain how the United States came to be a European nation without violence, plunder or genocide.

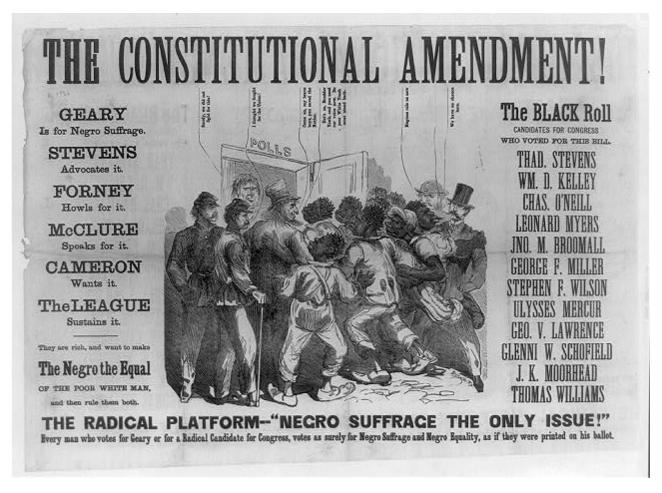
This is done principally by authoritatively rationalising the subject downwards, strictly within terms chosen by the dominating culture that address absolutely nothing at all. White racism, as opposed to White ethnic bigotry, is much the same as a religion. Just as logical questions about Cain's wife in a world without people are dismissed by true believers as suspicious anti-Christian bitterness, investigative discussions of pro-European racism in the Americas engenders similar emotive eruptions that do little more than confuse the situation rather than solve it. And I contend that this is precisely the point of circular Europocentric apologist logic.

In other words, to question racism is to question White people in general and Europocentric society and a whole. In this way, the issue becomes concerned more with the emotional distresses Europeans suffer than what the victims of institutional racism endure and have endured for more than 500 years. We can see evidence of this stress when White people are asked to elucidate to POC's why it is 'fair' for social and political injustices against non-Whites to continue so that they do not lose their unearned White privilege? People who like to think that the genocidal occupation of the Americas and the slavery and legal marginalisation of Africans has no relevance to the modern day are living in a delusion. Racism is not simply a set of boorish attitudes held against different ethnic groups, what it actually describes is a conscious system of racial/ethnic hierarchies that may or may not be admitted to by those caught-up within the system. Only a fool or a practised liar would argue that Europeans have never used, misused or forcefully imposed their particular cultural and political paradigms upon unwilling non-European nations and peoples. To contend otherwise is historical revisionism in its most classic sense.

¹ White people need to acknowledge benefits of unearned privilege by Robert Jensen http://ow.ly/8pWKx

² 10 Most Offensive Tea Party Signs And Extensive Photo Coverage From Tax Day Protests (PHOTOS) http://ow.ly/8pXlM 3 Arizona School Mural Whitewashed — ANIMAL

The apathy shown by Americans, North and South, towards the victims of European colonialisation is telling in that excuses are always made and allowed for why it is natural for White people to co-opt anything they choose at will. The established paradigm only allows for accepting the negative aspects of Euro-settler society and its formative history as the 'necessary evils' of civilisation's march towards development. This is the theorisation that is taught, promoted and maintained in Euro-settler culture, the myth that states 'lesser peoples' are obliged to step aside for the benefit of the 'stronger races' And this ideology is common not just to the entire western pedagogical system, but to the general world's view towards the 'White' nations of the planet. No questions are raised as to why the entire world seems gravitated towards the western way of life and how European colonialism forced this paradigm in place.³



At first glance, due in large part to institutional propaganda, none of this seems specifically contemptuous. Harmless opinion sharing perhaps? Maybe. But then again, even if we were to forgivingly disassociate this iniquitous history and social tradition with the current rhetoric of the United States, the whole affair becomes on its face entirely hypocritical. I can say this because not a day goes by without the western European powers passing judgment upon the rest of the world 's governments and peoples even as they oppress their own citizens and Indigenous/ethnically minority populations at home. And to look at everything that is being reported internationally, why is it that the only people who seem to make it to the Hague are generally from non-European or Eastern European countries at economic odds with the west? Are we really to believe that Europe and the Euro-settler colonial states such as Israel have no blood on their hands in the contemporary period? One would think that the Wikileaks revelations would have put that controversy to rest.

¹ Daily Kos: Racist Talk Radio & American Exceptionalism http://ow.ly/8q9YG

^{.2} A Radical Blackfoot: What Inspired Hitler http://ow.ly/8q9EY

³ Colonialism and Imperialism, 1450-1950 — EGO http://ow.ly/8qby1

⁴ Occupy Wall Street Turns Violent, With Apparent Police Abuse (VIDEO) - Forbes

⁵ Racial Profiling: Definition | American Civil Liberties Union

⁶ Israel/Gaza: Operation "Cast Lead": 22 days of death and destruction | Amnesty International

⁷ African Dictators: Charles Taylor and the Slaughterers' Society - SPIEGEL ONLINE - News - International

⁸ WikiLeaks VIDEO Exposes 2007 'Collateral Murder' In Iraq -huffingtonpost.com

But it hasn't. Neither has the questionable treatment of the US soldier accused of leaking the shocking material to the alternative press. The fact that he exposed a blatant war crime that should never have happened is of no consequence. And what was the moral justification accorded to NATO's involvement in removing Col. Muammar Gaddafi from power other than self-assumed Europocentric power? The west simply recognises, for and by itself, the 'right' to intervene militarily, economically or otherwise in any country on the planet it chooses to at will. If you doubt this, simply review the National Defense Authorization Act, (NDAA) which in effect brings the entire world under the jurisdiction of the US security state. ² An issue that has earned fringe Texas republican presidential candidate Dr. Ron Paul a legion of zealous fans who claim to have authentic concerns about where the US is going in terms of personal liberties and growing government power.

It all sounds good on the surface, no? Perhaps. Having said that, I argue that there is much more to the story than just Dr. Paul's stated anti-war stance, (although he voted in favour of invading Afghanistan⁴) and his claimed positions against a larger 'Pax Americana'. For people-of-colour in the United States, Ron Paul's clear connections to White supremacist and neo-Nazi organisations is alarming.⁵ And what concerns many of us more than his peculiar set of friends is his steadfast denial of responsibility for what he published in his own journal. 6 His 'explanation', if you can give it that, is that he never personally wrote any of the unsigned articles in question and that he had absolutely no idea of what he regularly published and sold for profit in his own newsletter which he personally edited.

From Daily Kos: Ron Paul, In His Own Words: selections pulled from the Ron Paul Newsletter...

Regardless of what the media tell us, most white Americans are not going to believe that they are at fault for what blacks have done to cities across America. The professional blacks may have cowed the elites, but good sense survives at the grass roots. Many more are going to have difficultly avoiding the belief that our country is being destroyed by a group of actual and potential terrorists -- and they can be identified by the color of their skin. This conclusion may not be entirely fair, but it is, for many, entirely unavoidable...Indeed, it is shocking to consider the uniformity of opinion among blacks in this country. Opinion polls consistently show that only about 5% of blacks have sensible political opinions, i.e. support the free market, individual liberty, and the end of welfare and affirmative action.... Given the inefficiencies of what D.C. laughingly calls the "criminal justice system," I think we can safely assume that 95% of the black males in that city are semi-criminal or entirely criminal.

Still not convinced of Dr. Paul's racist, or if you want to be funny, anti-African leanings? Try this tantalising tidbit from an article by thinkprogress.org featuring clippings from a 1992 Ron Paul Newsletter that clearly offers to teach the reader the basic guidelines of how to murder American Africans and cover your tracks with ease:

'If you live in a major city, you've probably already heard about the newest threat to your life and limb, and your family: carjacking. It is the hip-hop thing to do among the urban youth who play unsuspecting whites like pianos. . . . An ex-cop I know advises that if you have to use a gun on a youth, you should leave the scene immediately, disposing of the wiped off gun as soon as possible. Such a gun cannot, of course, be registered to you, but one bought privately (through the classifieds, for example). I frankly don't know what to make of such advice, but even in my little town of Lake Jackson, Texas, I've urged everyone in my family to know how to use a gun in self defense. For the animals are coming'. 7

It is impossible and insulting to attempt to separate what you have just read above from the documented history of the European towards the African and other non-White populations. And frankly, many of us are sick and tired of having our humanity taken for granted after everything the Indian and African has done for this country. A nation that hates the Indian and African to its very core.

¹ The Abuse of Private Manning - NYTimes.com

² businessinsider.com - 'A Close Look At The NDAA,

³ Ron Paul: He's anti-war, but he's anti-everything else, too - Baltimore Sun http://ow.ly/8pXUj

⁴ Ron Paul planned 'No' vote for Afghanistan invasion | The TexasFred Blog - http://texasfred.net/archives/13392

⁵ americanthinker.com - Archived Blog: Neo-Nazi complains about Ron Paul's denial of ties to white supremacists (updated)

^{6 &#}x27;Racist newsletter' timeline: What Ron Paul has said - CSMonitor.com

⁷ What To Make Of Ron Paul's Racist Newsletter | ThinkProgress



Do not insult our intelligence. If you would never think of asking Ashkenazi Jews to sit calmly while people around them sing the Horst Wessel Lied, it is ludicrous to suggest that the African Diaspora in the US should not be offended and concerned about a presidential candidate who would dare publish such reprehensible statements. And besides, it is pretty clear now that he would never have supported the Civil Rights Act of 1964.¹

Simply saying, 'I am not a racist' isn't enough if Dr. Paul and his fanatical supporters are going to insist on denying the obvious. These were works written for his magazine, published under his name under his editorial direction and he made a

¹ Ron Paul Would Have Opposed the Civil Rights Act of 1964 - Politics - The Atlantic Wire http://ow.ly/8q5a3

handsome profit from it. He has also defended it to varying degrees at different times. ¹ From FACT CHECK: Ron Paul Personally Defended Racist Newsletters | ThinkProgress:

Are Ron Paul true believers really expecting self-respecting American Africans to view such a response positively? In order for his supporters to truly believe that, they must by default accept the ideological premise of Rudyard Kipling's smug ode to to Anglo-colonialism, 'The White Man's Burden'. We are all trained to believe that it was the Christian White man who brought civilisation to the Americas although several advanced Indigenous societies² and a functioning democracy had existed here for more than six thousand years prior to their invasion. ³ And when it comes to discussing the issues of race, culture, colonialism and how these dynamics relate to modern politics in the United States, European Americans have shown themselves to be among the most historically revisionist people on Earth.

Both the US Ku Klux Klan, (since they are now international) and the American neo-Nazi movement have long and sordid histories of racialist violence against Africans, Aboriginals and Jews. 4 This is a fact and is beyond refute, unless one is willing to selectively re-write American history and its negative bias towards its non-European populations. Institutional racism is a fact of life for people-of-colour in the US. And most non-White people, including me, have a very logical reason to be concerned. Especially in light of the rapid rise of violent right-wing racism in Europe and the US since the beginning of the Obama administration.5

White supremacist groups are a major problem in the Anglophone world.⁶ And Ron Paul supporters are bright enough to know this. They read the news, have a reasonable understanding of history and they know that fascist bastards like Norwegian Christian terrorist Anders Brevik did not come out of a vacuum.⁷ Libertarians and paleo-conservatives would like us to forget about their connections to far-right organisations and just about anyone else who argues in favour of a pro-Europocentric view of the world.⁸ A colonialist perspective that completely and belligerently white-washes the actual day-to-day relations between ethnic groups that occur in the United States.⁹

Why have racist ideologies returned after the horrors of World War Two and what happened in the extermination camps? After the violent ethnic-driven breakup of Yugoslavia it is ludicrous to suggest that racial unrest is impossible in the 21st century White world. And because the United States has never seriously dealt with the issue of White European racism and how this one idea has shaped the consciousness of the country, overt White racial bias has been generally excused as 'accidental'. 10 The US as a collective body is a nation living in denial of itself. And truth be told, White Americans are no less in denial about their own genocidal history than Turkey is where it concerns the Armenians or even Germany in terms of the Herero and Namaqua genocides. Japan to this day refuses to acknowledge its role in the Rape of Nanjing and Canada and Mexico both still teach that the forceful assimilation and enslavement of Indians never actually happened.

^{- &}quot;Also in 1992, Paul wrote, 'Opinion polls consistently show that only about 5 percent of blacks have sensible political opinions.' Sullivan said Paul does not consider people who disagree with him to be sensible. And most blacks, [Paul spokesman Michael] Sullivan said, do not share Paul's views." [Austin American Statesman, 5/23/96]

¹ Ron Paul, In 1996, 'Did Not Deny' Controversial Statement In Newsletter

² Pre-Columbian Americas: http://www.allempires.com/article/index.php?q=americas_history

³ The Six Nations: Oldest Living Participatory Democracy on Earth: http://www.ratical.org/many_worlds/6Nations/

⁴ Remembering the 1979 Greensboro Massacre: 25 Years Later Survivors Form Country's First Truth and Reconciliation Commission

⁵ Max Blumenthal: 'Obama and the Neo-Nazis' - The Daily Beast http://ow.ly/8nJFR

⁶ I CARE - News - NEO NAZIS MAY BE BEHIND 2003 MURDER ATTEMPT (Germany)

⁷ Of Caucasians, Christians and Desperate White Men: | APNS

^{8 &#}x27;Paleoconservatives' Decry Immigration | Southern Poverty Law Center http://ow.ly/8pYht

⁹ Arizona Principal Cancels Whitewash of Controversial School Mural | Artinfo http://ow.ly/8pYnO

¹⁰ Tim Wise - Crime, Race and the Perils of Profiling http://www.timwise.org/2011/09/crime-race-and-the-perils-of-profiling/



Historical revisionism is of course what makes such injustices possible, but it is really the dominant population's conscious choice to maintain such wrongness. In other words, if White Americans were really serious about not being bound by their own unearned sociopolitical racist privilege, we would not be discussing this subject today, would we? White people have always claimed the right to define the discourse, leaving the victims of their social and political marginalisations to simply accept what they have decided as the best course of action. If Ron Paul says he isn't responsible for the hateful tripe he published, the African community, the very people Paul's newsletter brazenly demonised, are simply supposed to accept that excuse and move along. I defy someone to tell me that this isn't the logic being bandied about by the Paul lobby, because that's exactly what they are suggesting.¹

Do you think I'm being 'unfair' as many vocal Ron Paul's belligerent acolytes claim? No, I'm not. I'm looking at the hard facts of the matter: the surviving material published in the Ron Paul Report/Newsletter; his open support from avowed White supremacists and his own statements of denial/boasting on the subject. While Dr. Paul's supporters rely solely upon belittling dissenters with nonsensical invective to dismiss the candidate's racist leanings, the facts speak for themselves. Passionate arguments, even from deluded American Negroes always in search of another master to serve, in favour of Paul's anti-war policy or his radical isolationist ideas make little sense when balanced against his artful dodging on the race issue. The more Ron Paul runs away from being definitive about a solid answer to the questions surrounding his racist connections, the more he looks guilty of promoting White racism and everything that generally goes along with it 3

The excuse many Africans put forward concerning his statements on US drug polices mean little if the material published in his newsletter means anything. Most paleo-libertarians and Ayn Rand wannabes for their own reasons have issues with the current drug laws, but that does not in any way mean that they give a damn about Natives, Arabs, Black people or our human and civil rights. Many far-right reading lists during the late 1980's and most of the 90's used to include Dr. Paul's newsletters along with The Spotlight newspaper and the much ballyhooed 'Bell Curve' which goes to great lengths to

¹ This is Your Nation on White Privilege (Updated) | Tim Wise | Blog Post | Red Room http://ow.ly/8pZFz

² Ron Paul defends newsletters: Only '8 to 10 sentences were offensive' http://ow.ly/8q0g7

³ Prosecutors Charge White Man for Racially Motivated Shooting in Post-Katrina New Orleans-democracynow.org

⁴ Progressive American Liberal: Ayn Rand's Crazy View of Native American Indians http://ow.ly/8q0LH

blame African inferiority as a genetic deficiency. 12 So if the African community finds cause to be concerned, its because of the obvious.

As long as Ron Paul chooses to walk with extremists who believe that the Judeophobic Protocols of the Learned Elders of Zion is actual history,³ we all have reason to give pause when considering his run for the White House. Which also begs the question as to why the feared Hasbara lobby is so silent in regards to his shady connections with the far-right⁴ considering how they treat other critics. Why have they not pilloried the Paul campaign? And why hasn't anyone asked this question? Forget about the infamous photo with Don Black for a moment,⁵ and ask yourself, given the Dr. Paul's stated opposition to the State of Israel, why the pro-Zionist lobby has been relatively timid towards him and some other conservatives.⁶⁷

Perhaps because and his fellow conservatives are always falsely presenting themselves as victims of the non-existent liberal conspiracy. By acting like a victim of reverse-racism, Ron Paul makes himself appear more un-presidential every succeeding day even if he never says that out loud. Further, if he still refuses to be candid about this matter and continues to deny his role in promoting anti-African hatred in the United States, given the current ultra-tense racial climate across the country, he does not deserve to be president. And those who still support him, even after everything that has been revealed and in light of his skipping around the issue, need to simply admit once and for all that they agree with what he published. Because they surely are not offended enough to seem to understand that no African with any self-respect could support, much less vote, for someone who could say such things about our people.

1fair.org -Racism Resurgent

² Endorsing Racism: The Story of The Bell Curve (Aaron Swartz's Raw Thought) http://ow.ly/8q1cA

³ Protocols of the Elders of Zion - The Skeptic's Dictionary - Skepdic.com http://ow.ly/8q1rN

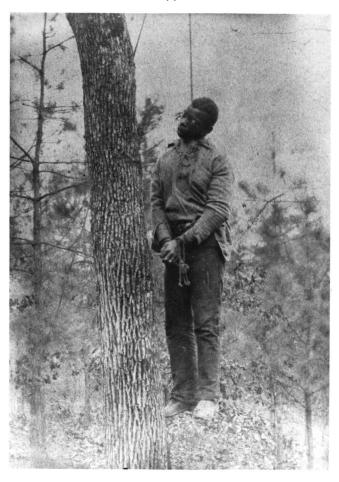
⁴ Ron Paul: 'Israel should be the Hong Kong of the Middle East' - Election 2012 - The Washington Post http://ow.ly/8q1I2 5 Values Voters and Neo Nazis: denialism blog

⁶ Israel and apartheid: Ron Paul makes a grown woman cry | Capital J | JTA - Jewish & Dry; Israel News http://ow.ly/8qdDQ

⁷ Glenn Beck's outreach expresses dangerous themes of Christian Zionism - The Jewish Standard http://ow.ly/8qdXO

⁸ Ron Paul's Racist Newsletters Revealed | News One

⁹ Ron Paul's Missing Radio Interview – The White Supremacist One? Extreme Liberal's Blog



From this perspective, many things come into place. Namely, the cold acknowledgement that while the mainstream corporate media might work hard to ignore on-the-ground American African view of this issue, the fact remains that Black Americans when made aware of the simple facts surrounding Ron Paul's connections, we are offended by what we see. And the abject arrogance shown by Ron Paul's supporters towards these questions displays nothing but the institutional race-ism we have been struggling against for our more than 400 years in the Americas. ¹

This is the basis behind the massive amount of racialist animosity we see directed towards the Obama administration. The opposition to Obama is not really political. Of course there are partisan political differences between him and the conservatives, (and for the record I am not an Obamaphile) but he has done nothing but do what any US president would be expected to do. He has supported the rich, the military-industrial complex and by his silence, the systemic racism that makes the whole thing work. If you can find any real differences between his administration and the Bush-Cheney capitalist machine I'd like to know about them. Nothing much has changed other than the violence and aggression has expanded at home and abroad. Despite all of this, the current president is still not respected at all by many within the general White population.

Why? Because he isn't 'White'.³

I can say that with certainty because when he is racially insulted, the vast majority of White people in America say, 'So what'.⁴ There is little public outcry. They act as if it is perfectly normal to call the first African president of the US a 'Tar Baby' and to insult his family with ethnic slurs.⁵ ⁶And these comedians are always quick defend their rudeness by

¹ Praising Slavery And Endorsing Ron Paul | viletweets.com http://ow.ly/8q2QF

² Barack Obama And The "End" Of Racism By Juan Santos http://ow.ly/8q3AO

³ Racist Attacks on Obama Growing More Heated | Hatewatch | Southern Poverty Law Center http://ow.ly/8q4aw

⁴ Fox News Guest Calls Obama Breaking News & Views on BlackMediaScoop http://ow.ly/8q55V

⁵ Doug Lamborn Apologizes To Obama For 'Tar Baby' Comments http://ow.ly/8q4jf

⁶ SC Republican Compares Michelle Obama to Escaped Gorilla http://ow.ly/8q4sK

vociferously claiming their rights to free and bigoted speech. And it is indeed rare when a conservative will call-out another conservative for being bigoted. That is until Ron Paul started gaining in the polls.

His anti-war, anti-banking and anti-big-government rhetoric rings true in many ways, but these positions give other, more mainstream conservatives headaches since nearly the entire US economy is rooted in the war machine. So, what does a good republican propagandist do in an age of #Occupy protests and 99% movements to bad-jacket his opponent? Simple, you call-out the offending opposition as a racist by pretending that for the past 20 years, you had no idea that he was an anti-African, anti-Homosexual bigot. This is true. And this is the only issue in which I agree with his supporters. But even then, their steadfast refusal to accept that Dr. Paul's claim that he knew nothing of the rabidly racist and violent material he regularly published in his own journal patently shows that they either accept the ugly statements found in these newsletters, (which I have personally read) or, they merely think that ethnic minorities should simply forget about the articles because White people say we should.

Such flippant attitudes do not level the tense racial dynamics of this issue one iota. There is no way Dr. Paul can dismiss his responsibility for the hateful material found in his own publication and at the same time claim to be in full favour of race-neutral government accountability as a politician. This simply isn't logical. And it is the very same promise Woodrow Wilson used to earn the Black vote.⁵ A trust he betrayed the moment he got into office.⁶

Most Ron Paul supporters only appear thoughtless and smug when they argue to POC's, and Africans in particular, in favour of someone who takes donations from anti-American neo-Nazis and then claims that the connection means nothing important to those whom these groups target as a matter of belief.⁷



Remember too that the conservatives defending Ron Paul in regards to Don Black and David Duke (audio) are the very

¹ Scott Janssen: Where's my Right to be Racist? http://ow.ly/8q4Fu

² The Company Ron Paul Keeps | The Weekly Standard http://ow.ly/8q5oa

³ The 10 Most Brazen War Profiteers | World | AlterNet http://ow.ly/8q4MV

 $^{^4\,} The \ New \ Republic \ vs \ The \ Ron \ Paul \ Newsletters \ (Wake \ up \ Daily \ Paul- \ You're \ Next!) \ | \ Ron \ Paul \ 2012 \ | \ Peace \ . \ Gold \ . \ Liberty \ http://ow.ly/8q5wb$

⁵ freerepublic.com - Woodrow Wilson and Black People http://ow.ly/8q5P8

⁶ Woodrow Wilson and White Supremacy: An Examination of Wilson's Racist and Antidemocratic Policies | Suite101.com http://ow.ly/8q6zm

⁷ Ron Paul on His Neo-Nazi Following: "I Accept Their Support, but I'm Not Happy About It" http://ow.ly/8q5XC

same people who still raise the non-issue of Barack Obama's citizenship, former US radical Bill Ayers ¹ and the equally ridiculous controversy concerning his former pastor, Rev. Jeremiah Wright. ² While Ron Paul's paper was demonising American Black men, Rev. Wright's church empowered an entire community by standing up to US institutional racism with courage, faith, non-violence and historical truth. A truth most White Americans would rather not be discussed at all. ³

To date, Ron Paul supporters have never responded to direct media inquiries with direct answers in regards to his newsletters or his connections to organised racism. They simply accuse dissenters of being 'against liberty' and for 'big government' without explaining why any American citizen with a moral centre would ever help a presidential candidate who courts such retrograde anti-American support. And further, they refuse to answer the major question, as to why people-of-colour, already abused every day by the system under an apathetic Black president, 4 should support a candidate who would print such ghastly material about our people in the 20th century?

Not all of us are hoodwinked by the capitalist dream machine. So don't insult our intelligence. Simply answer our questions and act like you have respect for us and our history with you.

That's how advanced societies move forward.

-TheAngryindian

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Election 2012: Season of the Fascist

Witnessing the Ron Paul Campaign Humanise the Face of White Supremacist Politics

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'White domination is so complete that even American Indian children want to be cowboys. It's as if Jewish children wanted to play Nazis'.

-- Ward Churchill

I'll be brutally honest with you dear reader, I was totally prepared to sit quietly on the sidelines sipping lukewarm, milk-infused Assam calmly watching the mainstream press play moralistic footy with the Ron Paul Newsletter scandal without saying a word. Really, I was. Regular readers are aware that I just finished an in-depth editorial on the rapid rise of the far-right which became an eBook, 'Of Caucasians, Christians and Desperate White Men: Why Conservative Racialists in the US, UK and Israel Are Ultimately Responsible for the Tragedy in Norway' (available as a free download from Aboriginal Press Books) and frankly, I had grown tiresome with the entire subject. Believe me when I say that it takes a strong stomach to sit and objectively review neo-Nazi and other assorted right-wing literature and I decided that I had read enough insanely hateful bile to swear me away from the subject until long after the passage of the new year.



That was until I found out that someone I truly respect, veteran journalist Robert Scheer, editor-in-chief of Truthdig.com, decided to appeal to the struggling 99% with an editorial that effectively and authoritatively whittles down the subject of Mr. Paul's observable neo-Nazi connections to a petty matter that 'is certainly worthy of criticism' but not nearly as important as his anti-corruption, isolationist, anti-war political platform. In other words, it is entirely o.k. for a 21st century American presidential candidate to harbour neo-Nazi sentiments and cognizant connections to fascism so long as he, or she, is verbally committed to doing away with war, economic decay and governmental over-reach.

I have a serious, serious problem with this. And so should you. Especially if you consider yourself to be a rational, fellow-traveller of the progressive 'Left'.

In his piece, 'Marginalizing Ron Paul', Mr. Scheer suggests, like numerous others, ¹ that the Texas candidate's radical US-style Poujadist politic is a matter wholly separate from his clearly unambiguous associations with known anti-American

¹escapetyranny.com - 'Ron Paul's newsletter "problem quotes" (when you really look at them) are not such a big deal' http://ow.ly/8eUDQ

,¹ anti-democratic² and often violent White Supremacists.³ This is the popular nonsensical argument that says Ron Paul the presidential candidate is mutually exclusive from Ron Paul the publisher of far-right racist populism.⁴ An argument which is patently absurd. Yes it is true that the published racism we are discussing here is more than 20 years old, but it is also very true that Mr. Paul has never denied or refuted his dedicated support from the admittedly racist far-right.⁵ So we would be foolish to assume that Mr. Paul's personal ethnic and cultural biases are in any way separate from his demonstrated politic when weighed against the squalid company he proudly keeps.⁶

Adding further insult to injury, Mr. Scheer's brazen indictment against those of us who have come to define Mr. Paul as a clear and present threat to an already tense multi-cultural social order ⁷ is puzzling if not downright frightening in an age of Glenn Beck inspired domestic right-wing violence. ⁸⁹ 10 His charge that we who oppose the Paul campaign are the real racial 'hypocrites' for worrying more about Paul's neo-Nazi connections than his quarrel with Wall Street's moneyed elite I must candidly admit gives me an intellectual case of the hives. It is both politically disturbing and morally repulsive on a variety of levels, especially since these are statements are coming from the son of a Russian Jew. ¹¹ I feel confident in saying that because I know full well that Mr. Scheer is not a fool. And it begs the question of why would, or how could, someone of his personal and professional background write such a passionate defence of an individual who literally spends his time shaking hands with anti-American neo-Nazi extremists.

This is a reasonable question, particularly for people-of-colour ¹² as well as for American Jewry. ¹³ Zionist or not. ¹⁴ I was previously aware of Mr. Scheer's support for Rand Paul's run for the Kentucky Senate, which was also distasteful, ¹⁵ but his endorsement of Ron Paul's candidacy, given his ties to Hitler wannabes, ¹⁶ is patently unforgivable. And further it is shocking to me that a journalist of Mr. Scheer's extensive experience would pen something that sounds so similar to the schlock churned out by the White Separatist rabble who flock to David Duke's EURO organisation.

I mention this only because I believe that it is important to take note of the outline of his argument. Just to be clear with the reader, I am not accusing Mr. Scheer of being a bigot, but what I am suggesting here that he is willing to ignore abject anti-African racism in order to fulfill his particular anti-war, anti-corruption political goals. As my late father explained to me as a young man, two White man may truly hate each other, but they will temporarily ignore their problems just long enough to join forces and lynch you from the nearest tree. This is true. ¹⁷ And this is why I am concerned about what this editorial seems to represent to those who say they are progressive in their politic and liberal in their personal social character.

Just for the exercise, compare the two selections provided below, one from the Mr. Scheer's progressive journal and the other published in an admittedly racist, paleo-conservative online reader. Decide for yourself if Mr. Scheer is waltzing along with the passive rhythms of White racist North America:

^{1 &#}x27;Al Qaeda's Neo-Nazi Connections' - The New Republic - http://ow.ly/8eQUX

² 'Now Glenn Beck loves American Nazi sympathizers: Promotes book by prominent Hitler advocate of the 1930s' | Crooks and Liars http://ow.ly/8eR8u

³ 'Stormfront "Hate Group" Members Praise Bedell's Terror Attack on Pentagon, Call for More Violence':: Responsible for Equality And Liberty (R.E.A.L.) http://ow.ly/8eAO2

⁴ 'Ron Paul Downplays Newsletters: Only 'Eight To Ten Sentences' Were Offensive' | TPM2012 http://ow.ly/8eRaz

⁵ Tea Party Insider - 'Ron Paul Defends Le Pen Meeting' - http://ow.ly/8eUxP

^{6 &#}x27;Ron Paul's White Supremacist Radio Connections' | News One http://ow.ly/8eUIN

^{7 &#}x27;The State of Hate: White Supremacist Groups Growing - Confronting the New Faces of Hate' - The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights http://ow.ly/8faz7

^{8 &#}x27;Norway shooting: Glenn Beck compares dead teenagers to Hitler youth' - Telegraph http://ow.ly/8fatz

⁹ 'Right Wing Terrorist Calls Glenn Beck "Like A School Teacher On TV"' | News One http://ow.ly/8favy

¹⁰ OPINION: 'Ron Paul And Glenn Beck Promote White Right Wing Terrorism' | News One http://ow.ly/8faCf

¹¹ Robert Scheer - Wikipedia, 'Beginnings through Vietnam' - http://ow.ly/8fcgT

¹² Yvette Carnell: 'Is Ron Paul a Racist?' -yourblackworld.com | http://ow.ly/8fAQd

¹³ The Spectacle Blog: 'The Anti-Semitism of Ron Paul Supporters' - http://ow.lv/8fBb0

^{14 &#}x27;German neo-Nazi cell distributes anti-Semitic version of monopoly' - Haaretz Daily Newspaper | Israel Newshttp://ow.ly/8fBuc

¹⁵ Bruce Wilson: 'Rand Paul Keynoted 2009 Rally for Far-Right Constitution Party' - http://ow.ly/8fcv7

^{16 &#}x27;Top 10 Racist Ron Paul Friends And Supporter's | News One http://ow.ly/8fOeQ

^{17 &#}x27;Stern Gang: Solution of Jewish Question and Participation in the War on the Side of Germany' (1941) http://ow.ly/8fXsD

First, I present for your review a brief snippet of Mr. Scheer's rather upsetting editorial:

'It is hypocritical that Paul is now depicted as the archenemy of non-white minorities when it was his nemesis, the Federal Reserve, that enabled the banking swindle that wiped out 53 percent of the median wealth of African-Americans and 66 percent for Latinos, according to the Pew Research Center'.1

Now, compare that to this culled from the official website of Rep. David Duke, PhD:

'The ongoing sub-prime crisis was caused by watering down regulations for sub-prime loans so that more minorities would qualify. The federal government compelled banks to increase sub-prime loans to Blacks and Latinos. Any bank that refused would be punished. If a bank didn't make enough minority loans and they needed federal permission to do anything such as open a new bank, their request was promptly denied by the Feds in retaliation'.²

I ask the reader to carefully examine the discreet language being used here. As far as I am concerned, when dispassionately balanced against the vast bulk of current and antiquated Christian fundamentalist and neo-Nazi literature, the only thing missing from both articles is a direct reference to Shakespeare's 'Shylock'.³ In all seriousness, if you are going to go so far as to defend a presidential candidate who proudly shares air with people who claim that a subversive cabal of Satanic Jewish bankers are secretly controlling the US political and economic system,⁴ why not just round it all out with the usual cliché allegations of a clandestine global Jewish conspiracy?⁵ 6

The emotional support the Paul presidential campaign has received *after* the voting public in the US learned from the republican party bad-jacketing machine that he is a friend of the neo-Nazi movement says more about modern America than it does about Ron Paul. His particular brand of 'intelligent racism' has been embraced by a large number of White Americans who simply do not have the courage to admit in plain language that they feel threatened by the rapid demographic and cultural changes taking place in the country. Judeophobic websites like JewWatch.com receive more than a million visitors a month.

¹ Robert Scheer: 'Marginalizing Ron Paul' - Robert Scheer's Columns - Truthdig http://ow.ly/8fbAX

² 'Banking institutions unable to prosper as America's Western population plummets' | The Official Website of Representative David Duke, PhD http://ow.ly/8fbzw

³ 'How to Think About: Jewish Bankers' - National - The Atlantic Wire http://ow.ly/8fzrZ

⁴ The Rightness of Ron Paul - Arthur Goldwag - http://ow.ly/8ggBO

⁵ 'The JEWS who Run Bush and the USA' -biblebelievers.org.au -http://ow.ly/8ggIB

⁶ ADL - 'Farrakhan on Jewish Conspiracies' - http://ow.ly/8ggLK

⁷ Prescott, Arizona mural altered to lighten children's skin tone | Crooks and Liars http://ow.ly/8ha7B

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You are hereby respectfully CAUTIONED and advised, to avoid conversing with the Watchmen and Police Officers of Roston

For since the recent ORDER OF THE MAYOR & ALDERSIEN, they are empowered to act as

KIDNAPPERS Slave Catchers

And they have already been actually employed in KIDNAPPING, CATCHING, AND KEEPING SLAVES. Therefore, if you value your LIBERTY, and the Welfare of the Fugitives among you, Show them in every possible manner, as so many HOUNDS on the track of the most unfortunate of your race.

Keep a Sharp Look Out for KIDNAPPERS, and have TOP EYE open. APRIL 24, 1851.

And just to show the reader what I mean by 'a decided partiality' towards the extreme right, even after JewWatch was discovered by the Missouri state attorney general to be illegally and immorally defrauding US citizens attempting to donate funds to Hurricane Katrina, the site is still in business with tacit support from Google and the other people, not all White, who argue in favour of White Supremacist civil rights. 23 The neo-Nazi social hub Stormfront also logs more regular visitors than many established news resources do within the same period. The one dynamic that can be looked at

regular visitors than many established news resources do within the same period. The one dynamic that can be looked at as a 'good' result of Mr. Paul's campaign is the fact that he has exposed the sympathetic undercurrent in the United States towards not just politically conservative politics, but extremist racial theories that in 2012 should have no bearing on contemporary society. When young Americans like Kelly Clarkson can not only support Mr. Paul's racism but profit handsomely from it,⁴ it is entirely misleading to claim that the US is not caught-up in a White supremacist paradigm.⁵

But the problem is not merely limited to passive White Power perspectives in US society. We should all take pause when a veteran progressive journalist is not only willing, but eager to defend a rank, right-wing intellectual extremist solely on the basis of his pledge to end commercial malfeasance and intensive US military involvement and expansion. Mr. Scheer, and frankly, even the unrepentant bigots over at EURO, are factually correct in their argument that the financial commissars that caused the economic meltdown took unfair advantage of minority home buyers. But like most of White America, they want us ignore the underlying factors that made what happened in the sub-prime mortgage scandal possible in the first place.⁶

^{1 &#}x27;Help Blacks For Ron Paul Help Ron Paul' | Ron Paul 2012 | Peace . Gold . Liberty http://ow.ly/8gVIk

² Seth Finkelstein - 'Jew Watch, Google, and Search Engine Optimization' - http://ow.ly/8gQBF

³ thegrio - 'Miss. gov praises civil rights era white supremacists' - http://ow.ly/8gR4p

⁴ Kelly Clarkson sees sales pick up following Ron Paul endorsement | The Music Mix | EW.com http://ow.ly/8gWu2

⁵ Democracy Now - 'White Power USA: The Rise of Right-Wing Militias in America' - http://ow.ly/8gWA6

^{6 &#}x27;Affidavits On How Wells Fargo Gave "Ghetto Loans" To "Mud People" '- The Consumerist http://ow.ly/8eMtB

Whether one is politically right, left or centre, we should all take pause when a left-wing journalist is not only willing, but eager, to defend a rank, right-wing intellectual zealot solely on the basis of his pledge to end commercial malfeasance and intensive US military and government expansion. I I do not claim to know what lurks in the heart of Mr. Scheer, but in all sincerity, his piece honestly reminds me of the intellectual apologists of the paleo-conservative lobby who say exactly the very same thing in much the same way. Especially when attempting to address the mainstream US news reading public.

3 The sainted conservative icon Ronald Reagan and his speech writers and advisors understood this dynamic very well.

⁴ And so did Bush the Second's mainstream propagandists in 2000 and again in 2004.⁵

By combining the pressing 'Main Street' issues of unnecessary wars of aggression, nationwide minority disenfranchisement and growing mainstream animosity towards the international financial community, the extreme right-wing has expertly managed to cloud their pro-fascist agenda within an air of genteel western civility. ⁶ They take full and undue advantage of the preposterous short-sighted American attitude that distinguishes the Ku Klux Klan and uniformed Nazis as repugnant, while venerating 'respectable bigots' like Ron Paul, Pat Buchanan ⁷ and Ann Coulter who are free to 'merely express their opinions' so long as they use polite verbalisation. ⁸ This allows for one end of the spectrum to be regarded as an embarrassment while the other, more sophisticated schtick, is defended as the true voice of the authentic American ideal. ⁹

It is simply a matter of packaging for the sake of broad public acceptance. When the mainstream media has a choice between reporting on slobbering, under-educated and generally unemployed White people growling obscenities or interviewing someone articulate enough to explain their point without using harsh expletives, who do you think they are going to go to? Its not that the conservatives who populate the cesspool that is mainstream news media do not spew false, misleading and insulting rhetoric, they do. ¹⁰ As Often as possible. ¹¹ The leading right-wing propaganda machine in the United States is the Australian/Saudi Arabian owned FOX News Network ¹² who by their own admission, present false material they concoct as real news information simply to rally their ditto-headed base. ¹³ ¹⁴

This is allowed. The US press has rarely shown the negative face of White racism without excusing the negativity of it all by highlighting how 'bad' minorities are for not being able to 'rise to the same level' of the Euro-settlers who rule over them. In reality, the US corporate media does not 'expose' racist politicians like David Duke or Ron Paul, they actively promote them, and their causes, by presenting their arguments as 'balanced debate'. This is why more respect is paid today to the 'Lost Cause' of the seditious Confederate South than at any other time in this nation's history. ¹⁵ American media has always shown a clear partisan preference for conservative political explanations that purport to dismiss racial injustice in the US as an issue that was settled once and for all at the conclusion of the US Civil War. This is the narrow xenophobic worldview that selectively ignores Jim Crow Apartheid, segregated housing, the racial terror of lynching, anti-miscegenation laws, ¹⁶ 'Separate-but-Equal' education, employment discrimination and the violent rise of the Ku Klux

^{1 &#}x27;Jesse Ventura Endorses Ron Paul as the Only Anti-war Candidate' - Alex Jones' Infowars: http://ow.ly/8fzAk

² 'Blaming the Jews: Reaction to the Financial Crisis in the Europe, Latin America and the Middle East' -adl.org - http://ow.ly/8g3ss

³ 'Scapegoating Minorities for Failures of Banking' - fair.org - http://ow.ly/8g3I1

^{4 &#}x27;Lott, Reagan and Republican Racism' - TIME http://ow.ly/8g2YV

⁵ Greg Palast: 'How They Stole The Mid-Term Election' - http://ow.ly/8fWza

^{6 &#}x27;Endorsing Racism: The Story of The Bell Curve' (Aaron Swartz's Raw Thought) http://ow.ly/8g3Up

^{7 &#}x27;Twelve Pretty Racist Or Just Crazy Quotes From Pat Buchanan's New Book' | TPMMuckraker http://ow.ly/8fTcX

^{8 &#}x27;The post-racial America of Ann Coulter and Pat Buchanan' - The Washington Post http://ow.ly/8fT6D

⁹ Rush Limbaugh To Touré: 'For 23 Years I've Been Told I'm A Racist. I'm Not And You Are' | Mediaite http://ow.ly/8g4ac ¹⁰ 'Ann Coulter: Amazingly Ignorant' -therationalradical.com - http://ow.ly/8ghgA

¹¹ Fox's Eric Bolling: Obama Is Hosting "Hoodlum[s]" In "The Hizzouse" | Media Matters for America http://ow.ly/8ghlj

 $^{12\} Conservative\ Activists\ Rebel\ Against\ Fox\ News:\ Saudi\ Ownership\ Is\ 'Really\ Dangerous\ For\ America'\ |\ Think Progress\ http://ow.ly/8ghoM$

¹³ 'Fox News' year in apologies: Fake videos, false info, cutting and pasting from GOP' | Media Matters for America http://ow.ly/8ghqd

 $^{^{14} \ &#}x27;Fox\ News\ Viewers\ the\ Most\ Uninformed\ About\ Current\ Events,\ Including\ Climate\ Change'\ -\ triplepundit.com\ -\ http://ow.ly/8ghsK$

^{15 &#}x27;Bob McDonnell Revives the Confederate "Lost Cause" Fantasy' | Politics In Vivo - http://ow.ly/8g5Cx

¹⁶ Anti-miscegenation Laws - Encyclopedia of Arkansas - http://ow.ly/8g6lV

Klan, President Woodrow Wilson's favourite Euro-American social organisation.¹

The US press has routinely failed year after year, decade after decade to seriously report on stories that investigate the roots of America's problem with both race and the far-right's institutional influence on US politics. Lavish attention is paid to the violence and suffering inflicted by minority-on-minority brutality in the ghettoes, but the violence, poverty and indignity minorities suffer as a result of historical US ethnic bias goes unmentioned as a contributing factor. Nor is the genocidal role of racial profiling policing policies, ² judicial prejudice in sentencing ³ and the enormous problem of police brutality against brown people ⁴ ever raised as a detrimental element of American social life.

Political playing upon the traditional fears and emotive prejudices White Americans have held about non-European minorities for centuries has been used by both US political parties since the very beginning of the republic. It is part and parcel of the American political tradition.⁵ And it does not take a rocket scientist to understand that the 'talking points' and 'code-words' utilised by the establishment can be just as effective as any overt ethnic slur.⁶ Moreover, such propaganda is extremely dangerous chiefly because it gives White xenophobia, Judeophobia and extreme nationalism a platform in which to to justify violence and discrimination towards non-Whites and the organised Left.⁷ And it is meaningless and insulting to the victim's of American racism to keep pointing to the skin colour of the current American president as if it really meant something important. It doesn't. Barack Obama has empirically proved that Black politicians in the US can be just as apathetic towards African and Native concerns as any Euro-settler representative could.⁸ And as people-of-colour, we are major fools, understanding our history under colonialism,⁹ for assuming that just because someone looks like us they are auto-magically our ally and deserve our loyalty and political support. ¹⁰

But hey, when did conservatives and their sycophantic House Negroes ¹¹ ever let facts, morality or common-sense get in the way of a good old fashioned minstrel show? As republican/conservative fear-mongers liberally flood the media terrain with loony conspiracy theories ¹² that purport to warn of an Obama-led anti-European, anti-Christian agenda ¹³ to bring down the White world, Obama's behaviour as a US president, democrat party leader and defender of neoliberal capitalism has displayed no such threat to the White social order. In fact, he has done little more than help the 1% get everything they wanted and more they didn't ask for. ¹⁴ His glaring inaction and steadfast refusal to challenge the issues that plague the US African and American Indian communities clearly proves that their nonsensical claims are indeed based on smoke.

The United States, try as hard as it may, cannot deny its own sordid history of racial marginalisation, violence and genocide without delving into David Irving-style historical revisionism to dismiss it all. ¹⁶ White Americans are no different than Turks who deny the Armenian Genocide or Israelis who deny what is happening to Indigenous Arab Palestinians in the West Bank and The Gaza. ¹⁷ when discussing these issues. The European presence in the Americas was founded squarely upon the concept of White, Anglo-European racial and cultural domination over both the land and

¹ The Rise and Fall of Jim Crow . Jim Crow Stories . The Birth of a Nation | PBS http://ow.ly/8g6bQ

² 'More on Racism in US Policing: It Never Ends'?:: racismreview.com http://ow.ly/8g7N7

³ 'Minorities less likely to receive presidential pardons' - Univision News Tumblr http://ow.ly/8g83B

⁴ Socialism Today - 'US Police Brutality' - http://ow.ly/8g8dm

⁵ The Green Libertarian - 1868 Democratic national party theme: "This is a white man's country: Let white men rule" http://ow.ly/8fRYa

^{6 &#}x27;Deciphering their racist code words' | SocialistWorker.org http://ow.ly/8gbFr

⁷ Pat Buchanan: Norwegian Right-Wing Terrorist 'Breivik May Be Right' | ThinkProgress http://ow.ly/8gbiP

^{8 &#}x27;What Has Barack Obama Done for Black America'? -- In These Times - http://ow.ly/8gcAS

⁹ 'The Life and Assassination of Patrice Lumumba' | United Black America - http://ow.ly/8gd3D

¹⁰ Dr. Boyce: 'Has Black America Become Obama's Political Mistress'? - http://ow.ly/8gcQx

¹¹ Erik Rush - 'Barack Obama: Racist in chief' - http://ow.ly/8ggjM

¹² 'Alleged White House shooter called Obama the 'anti-Christ,' feds say' | Scott McCabe | Capital Land | Washington Examiner http://ow.ly/8gdHG

¹³ ANTI WHITE RACISM GETS OK FROM OBAMA ADMINISTRATION « John Gibson Radio Show http://ow.ly/8gfZU

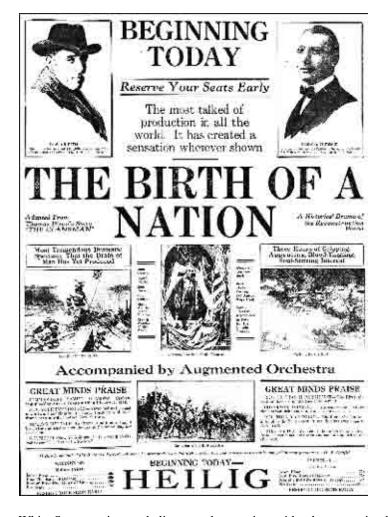
^{14 &#}x27;History of U.S. Gov't Bailouts' - ProPublica http://ow.ly/8ghWH

^{15 &#}x27;Even with birth certificate, 'birther' theories will not die' - Free Republic http://ow.ly/8gdDi

¹⁶ John L. O'Sullivan on Manifest Destiny, 1839 http://ow.ly/8gie5

¹⁷ Vladimir Jabotinsky: 'The Iron Wall' - We and the Arabs (1923) http://ow.ly/8gijR

the people they found there. This is beyond dispute and is no different than the European Holocaust. It is outrageous at this stage in the game that this generation of Americans still make a conscious choice to continue this egotistical White supremacist charade.



By their very insular nature, White Supremacist true believers only associate with other committed White Supremacists. This is a fact. So for Ron Paul and his legions of closeted, pro-Europocentric bigot supporters, his bid for the White House is a Godsend. They willingly accept the fact that he is solidly connected to the United States KKK and avowed neo-Nazis. And their active acceptance of the definitive statements found in his publication about minorities only serves to illustrate just how hatefully foul the soft white underbelly of the US radical right-wing really is. Especially in light of the fact that his fellow republican candidates have continued to childishly haul out previously disproven conspiracy theories from Karl Rove's backside as if they ever had any validity in the first place.

I fully expect Paul and Scheer aide-de-camps to aggressively counter my analysis with references to my stated respect for the Nation of Islam, the American Indian Movement and the Black Panther Party for Self-Defence. But to my certain knowledge, not one of these groups has ever called for a 'race war'. These organisations, now defunct due to the

^{1 &#}x27;How Europe Underdeveloped Africa' by Walter Rodney http://ow.ly/8gYbO

² 'White Supremacist, Antisemitic, and Race Hate Groups in the U.S.: A Geneology' -PublicEye.org - The Website of Political Research Associates http://ow.ly/8eUGn

³ 'Le Pen Meets With Paul' -westernyouth.org - http://ow.ly/8haJC

⁴ TNR Exclusive: 'A Collection Of Ron Paul's Most Incendiary Newsletters' | The New Republic http://ow.ly/8eUBe

⁵ Daily Kos: 'Mitt Romney's son goes birther ... to defend dad's refusal to release tax returns' - http://ow.ly/8eUwn

^{6 &#}x27;Birthers' Dealt Another Blow, As Federal Appeals Court Dimisses Suit: The Two-Way: NPR http://ow.ly/8eUNM

WashingtonPost.com: 'The Coming Race War in America: A Wake-up Call' - http://ow.ly/8gYPC

clandestine and highly illegal efforts of COINTELPRO, were a direct and logical and defensive result of violent White racist terrorism and traditional minority disenfranchisement, not the promotion of bellicose racial strife.

White as well as non-White Americans live in denial. And I hate to be the one to tell you Virginia, but the United State of by-God America is a nation forcefully crafted upon the xenophobic concept of aggressive Anglo-Saxon bigotry and brigandage simply for the sake of conquest. From the genocidal invasion and occupation of Taino Territorio by Christofaro Columbo on October 12, 1492 to the modern day repression of American Indians as expressed by Leonard Peltier's confinement in a White man's prison for an offence even his prosecutors openly admitted may have been a miscarriage of American justice says much about the moral character of the nation.²3

The history of Africans in America, before and after the Colombian invasion, too tells us much about just how radically things changed once White folks came on the scene. The Olmec culture, strongly rumoured to be of African colonial origin, 4 did not display archeological signs of strife or discord with the native population. This equanimity can also be seen in the physical evidence of early Chinese exploration and collaboration with the Indigenous Peoples of the Americas. 5 There are tangible signs of contact, but not of conflict. This is in stark contradiction to what occurred when the first Europeans who attempted to colonise the Americas by force were finally compelled to do trade instead of warfare when faced with a dignified and sustained resistance to their occupation. 6 The 'Skrælings', 7 as First Nations Peoples were called by the Norrœnir Menn they encountered, were quite willing to chat and do business with Europeans, but they were not open to the suggestion that they were to be belligerently co-opted by a foreign entity. It took several long centuries before Europeans were finally able to effectively control the 'New World'. And were it not for the colonial hat-trick of European diseases, thuggish war technology and the limitless fanatical guile translated menacingly as White Christian religion, European mastery over the Americas could never have happened.

White Europeans are aggressors and always have been. Don't believe me, believe the American White man's hero C. Columbus when he wrote in his logs of the Taino People they met when they came ashore:

'They traded with us and gave us everything they had, with good will...they took great delight in pleasing us...They are very gentle and without knowledge of what is evil; nor do they murder or steal...Your highness may believe that in all the world there can be no better people...They love their neighbours as themselves, and they have the sweetest talk in the world, and are gentle and always laughing'.

Less than a week later the slaughter began and only ended when there were too few Taino left to butcher. They were later replaced by Africans as slaves who also lived and died under circumstances that can only be described as genocide. So it is totally disingenuous to claim that American White racism has nothing to do with the current political dilemma. It does. 9 Big time. 10

In an embarrassingly seedy effort to unseat the Obama administration by stoking ethnic panic and suspicion amongst the White Euro-settler population, the republicans have been working hard to outdo each other in promoting extremist American Exceptionalism in an effort to rally their dim-witted base. From Newt Gingrich's 2008 thesis where he suggested

¹ COINTELPRO: The FBI's Covert Action Programs Against American Citizens, Final Report of the Senate Committee to Study Governmental Operations with respect to Intelligence Activities, Book III - http://ow.ly/8gYWw

² 'Comments about the CNN/Time "show" on Leonard Peltier' - American Indian Cultural Support - http://ow.ly/8eV1m

³ Leonard Peltier Defense Offense Committee - 'Post-Conviction Revelations' - http://ow.ly/8eV66

^{4 &#}x27;The ancient Olmec Civilization' -aztec-history.com - http://ow.ly/8eVeR

⁵ 'Explorer from China who "beat Columbus to America" - Telegraph http://ow.ly/8eVjC

⁶ Norse colonization of the Americas - Wikipedia - "Markland and Helluland". Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History. pp. Archeology page and following. Retrieved 2008-08-14. http://ow.ly/8eVrr

⁷ Skræling - Wikipedia, http://ow.ly/8eVxB:

^{&#}x27;Skræling (Old Norse and Icelandic: skrælingi, plural skrælingjar) is the name the Norse Greenlanders used for the indigenous peoples they encountered in North America and Greenland.[1] In surviving sources it is first applied to the Thule people, the Eskimo group with whom the Norse coexisted in Greenland after about the 13th century. In the sagas it is also used for the peoples of the region known as Vinland (probably Newfoundland) whom the Norse encountered during their expeditions there in the early 11th century'.

^{8 &}quot;Genocide" (April 1946), by Raphael Lemkin - Prevent Genocide International http://ow.ly/8gZLn

⁹ viletweets.com | Disturbing Comments from Real Twitter Users - http://ow.ly/8gZXm

^{10 &#}x27;Ron Paul Supporter Jules Manson Calls For Obama Assassination' | News One http://ow.ly/8h0Y0

that the US security services should 'allow' an occasional terrorist attack here and there just to prove that the world needs America's version of conservative White Power ¹ (Daily Kos: Gingrich: Bush should allow more terror attacks)² to Michelle Bachmann's inexcusable Antebellum-era assertion that American Africans had it 'better under slavery',³ the writing in on the wall in regards to America's slide to full-blown, Joe Six-Pack style fascism.

The right-wing penchant for pumping fear and loathing about Barack Obama as an anti-White, Muslim-Communist-Nazi-atheist who was born in Kenya⁴ to a radical White hippie and a veteran of the Mau Mau uprising ⁵ goes far beyond the pale of acceptable campaigning. It is at its base, a brazen and profane example of just how insecure the White population of the United States really is in spite of their actual overwhelming global and domestic power.⁶

White Americans have always felt insecure about how they attained their hold on North America. Mostly because it was not a peaceful process by any means. And despite what the glossy travel brochures may tell you, Anglos were not the 'victims', they were the 'Victors'. And they were responsible for literally wiping out large swathes of Indigenous Peoples and enslaving millions of Africans on two continents while convincing themselves that they were doing all that killing in the name of 'God', 8 the White man's parsimonious alter ego. According to this idea the land, all of it, belongs to the White man simply because he was able to take it. The actual death toll has never been fully tallied. Not for lack of data, but for the sake of European cowardice since the genocide has never actually stopped. Indigenous people in the Americas die every day at the hands of their respective 'Great White Fathers' from the crest of Nunavut to the very bottom of Tierra del Fuego 10 and very few Euro-Americans have ever investigated or challenged this paradigm. And when they do, they pay a very heavy price for being human. 11



This is why when White Americans vociferously deny the concrete reality of US racism as they point to Barack Obama as

^{1 &#}x27;Gingrich quips Bush should have allowed some 'reminder' attacks' - The Raw Story - http://ow.ly/8eAfc

² From dailykos.com circa, Sat May 31, 2008 at 11:45 PM PDT: 'This is ... one of the great tragedies of the Bush administration,' Gingrich continued. 'The more successful they've been at intercepting and stopping bad guys, the less proof there is that we're in danger. And therefore, the better they've done at making sure there isn't an attack, the easier it is to say, "Well, there never was going to be an attack anyway". And it's almost like they should every once in a while have allowed an attack to get through just to remind us'.

³ 'Children did better under slavery, says candidate Bachmann' - Americas, World News - Independent.ie http://ow.ly/8eAeH

⁴ Don't Vote for Obama, The Most Complete Anti Obama website http://ow.ly/8h1A2

^{5 &#}x27;How Obama Thinks' - Forbes.com - http://ow.ly/8h1OZ

⁶ BBC NEWS | Business | 'Brazil's Lula raps 'white' crisis' - http://ow.ly/8h2Nb

^{7 &#}x27;Native American Genocide Still Haunts U.S.' - http://ow.ly/8h2eh

^{8 &}quot;God gave the land to white people" part 2, minutemen - YouTube - http://ow.ly/8h2Y8

^{9 &#}x27;Sterilization of Native American Women: Reviewed by Omaha Master's Studen" - Bruce E. Johansen - http://ow.ly/8h40c 10 U.S. to apologize for STD experiments in Guatemala

Government researchers infected patients with syphilis, gonorrhea without their consent in the 1940s-Saynsumthn's Blog-http://ow.ly/8hbaC

¹¹ Committee to Free Lori Berenson - http://ow.ly/8h4C3

if he were a prized wall trophy serious civil progressives and conscious Africans see this as highly hypocritical. Especially while Black men all across the country are being racially-profiled every single day. ¹ His being non-White, in politics and in the White House is incessantly waved like a flag as a means of quelling serious discussion about America's diligence in ignoring and vociferously denying its history of ethnic repression and exploitation. ² And it is exactly this sort of passive historical revisionism that makes Ron Paul and his closeted neo-Nazi followers a problem.

Remember this dear reader, Adolf Hitler and his merry band of right-wing ethnic cleansers spoke against wars of aggression, the anti-worker rules of the banking sector and non-German immigration too. And we saw what happened with that.⁴ Further, during their trial under the authority of the Allied Powers, who themselves were practicing the very same principles at home against their own Indigenous and ethnic/religious minorities, these hateful people actually claimed to really be 'Zionists at heart' who were sincerely trying to help Jews actualise their claim to (then) British-held Occupied Palestine.⁶

Of course this is all nonsense, but so is Ron Paul's idiotic explanations ⁷ for why he deserves to be allowed to dismiss charges against him for publishing White supremacist reading material. ⁸ And frankly, Mr. Scheer's conscious stroll down Nazi Lane is equally senselessness in a world where all objective discussion of the State of Israel in terms of its questionable internal policies towards Indigenous ethnic Arabs ⁹ Africans ¹⁰ and non-Ashkenazim Jews ¹¹ is regularly portrayed as hateful anti-Semitic, pro-terrorist anti-Jewish hatred. ¹²

When a career journalist of Mr. Scheer's level of experience can support a person like Ron Paul an alarm sounds in my head and my heart. When even the most intelligent minds in established journalism, even Jews, are ready to lend their personal efforts to upholding the rights of neo-Nazis and others who do not believe in universal rights, we are all in a world of serious, serious trouble. But then again, most assimilated Jews living in 1930's Germany thought that they were 'German enough' to not hear the jack-boots either. I leave it to the reader to ponder that question in the privacy of one's own heart and soul. If the Nazis were bad news in the middle of the last century, why would anyone think that they have 'improved' since then?

If you still fail to see a problem with all of this I dare say that either you are a neo-Nazi admirer yourself or at best, an ignorant and hopelessly stupid American who can be easily swayed into accepting the unacceptable. Either way, why should I, and other minorities, have to pay for your insecurities with our well-being in this society? A vote for Ron Paul, or any of the republicans for that matter, is a vote for fascism. And that includes all of the nastiness that goes along with a closed society.

There are numerous people in the US doltish enough to believe that it is possible to have fascism without the 'excesses' of xenophobia. Really, there are. I know this because I have had enough conversations with Ron Paul supporters, in person and online, that make just that argument. And it is more than sad, it is frightening that even after electing a Black man as president, the rank and file of the American population has allowed itself to believe that being a Nazi is simply a political or lifestyle choice which is conspicuously 'allowed' by same US civil rights laws intended to protect the rights of ethnic minorities. I truly wonder what the Zionist lobby has to say about all this. But then again, the ADL's Abe Foxman has actually defended Glenn Beck's populist media blitzkrieg in writing, ¹³ while at the very same time he worked to silence and bad-jacket US citizens who peacefully support Indigenous Palestinian human rights in their own ancestral territories.

¹ Press TV-News Analysis-US Racial Profiling-07-13-2010 http://ow.ly/8h4X3

² Alto Arizona! - 'History of Racist U.S. Laws' - http://ow.ly/8fPKE

³ 'American Science's Racist History Still Haunts the World' - COLORLINES - http://ow.ly/8fPNg

⁴ ushmm.org - 'Introduction to the Holocaust' - http://ow.ly/8h5Yr

⁵ jewsagainstzionism.com - 'Nazi Support of Zionism' - http://ow.ly/8h6i7

⁶ Tony Greenstein - 'Zionist collaborators with Nazism revealed' - Weekly Worker -

http://www.cpgb.org.uk/worker/792/zionistcollaborators.php

⁷ Ron Paul: Lack of Oversight on Newsletters Was 'Human Flaw' - ABC News - http://ow.ly/8h6VQ

^{8 &#}x27;10 Extreme Claims in Ron Paul's Controversial Newsletters' | Mother Jones http://ow.ly/8h6OB

⁹ 'The racist laws of Israel's justice minister' - Haaretz Daily Newspaper | Israel News http://ow.ly/8h7eG

^{10 &#}x27;Racism toward African asylum seekers on the rise in Israel' -migrant-rights.org - http://ow.ly/8h8bC

¹¹ alfassa.com - 'Ashkenazi Against Sephardi Racism Lives' - http://ow.ly/8h8mk

^{12 &#}x27;Jew-haters welcome in EU' - Israel Opinion, Ynetnews - http://ow.ly/8h7RF

^{13 &#}x27;ADL stands by Glenn Beck in the end' - War Room - Salon.com http://ow.ly/8hcm9

¹ Hypocrisy? You decide.

Wake up and smell the coffee before it quietly morph into the stench of roasting human skin. Because really, who ever said that it was impossible for fascism or extreme nationalism to exist in the US?

-TheAngryindian

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² Journal E: Without Sanctuary: Lynching Photography in America - http://ow.ly/8h9qT